

## Hearts on a String Card – January 12, 2013 Stamp Camp – Valentine

Color Theme: Primrose Petals, Pool Party, Raspberry Ripple & accent colors

### Supplies:

Stamps: Happy Valentine Single Heart Stamp from promo bundle, Tiny Tags, My Little Valentine, Wacky Wishes (hostess set)

Ink: Raspberry Ripple

Paper: Pool Party, Daffodil Delight, Very Vanilla, Midnight Muse, Raspberry Ripple Cardstock, Primrose Petals Core'dinations Cardstock, assorted DSP scraps including Spring Catalog's Print Poetry.

Punches: Full Heart Punch, Small Heart Punch

Other Accessories: Big Shot, Fashionable Hearts Embosslit, Honeycomb Embossing Folder (Spring Catalog), Sanding Buddy, Brights Designer Buttons, Linen Thread, envelope, Glue Dots, Adhesive of choice (Snail, Tombow liquid glue, glue stick, etc).

### Directions:

- 1) Score Pool Party Base Card at 4-1/4", fold and crease with bone folder.
- 2) Run Primrose Petals Core'dinations through the Big Shot with Honeycomb embossing folder. Sand the raised surface and edges of piece lightly. Attach to front of Pool Party card base. Randomly stamp small heart image from Tiny Tags with Raspberry Ripple ink in some of the honeycomb interiors.
- 3) Select one button from container – yellow, red or whatever floats your boat any size will work. Get string from Jean and thread as directed. You'll have two pieces of thread. One for the bow and one for the tail. After you establish tail and tie bow attach button to card front with 2 glue dots.
- 4) Stamp the Valentines Single Stamp image on Very Vanilla or Daffodil Delight Cardstock strips using the Raspberry Ripple ink. You need two...either one of each or 2 the same. Punch with Full size heart punch.
- 5) Select several hearts from precut hearts or use scraps to run through the Fashionable Hearts embosslit. You'll also need to punch several small hearts using the Small Heart punch out of either Very Vanilla or Raspberry Ripple or use the supply on the table already prepunched. For each heart you place on the string you'll need a small one for the back.
- 6) Alternate hearts along string, spacing so that 3 or 4 fit down the front and the rest tuck inside. To attach to string add adhesive to small area of the back of the heart for the front of string then back with a small punched heart also with adhesive. Try to keep the adhesive inside that small backing heart area.
- 7) You can decorate smaller hearts with the tiny hearts or the heart stamp from tiny tags or leave plain. The heart string is where your imagination can take wing and have some fun. You'll need a total of 8-9 hearts for the String.
- 8) Decorate card interior (see samples or create your own) and the Envelope. Tuck string of hearts inside card so that when the card is opened the string falls out.

Card created by Jean Fitch based on an altered CASE from Linda Heller's Stamping School projects. Variation can be seen here: <http://jlfstudio.wordpress.com> January 24, 2013 entry.